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MPR DELEGATION ON OFFICIAL VISIT TO ROMANIA

Delegates Met at Airport

Ulaanbaatar NOVOSTI MONGOLII in Russian 17 Jun 83 p 1

[Article by a special MONTSAME correspondent: "Arrival in Bucharest of Party and State Delegation of the MPR Led by Comrade Y. Tsedenbal"]

[Text] Bucharest, 14 Jun (MONTSAME) -- A party and state delegation from the MPR, led by Y. Tsedenbal, general secretary of the MPRP Central Committee and chairman of the Presidium of the MPR People's Great Hural, arrived in Bucharest today on an official friendly visit at the invitation of Nicolae Ceausescu, general secretary of the Romanian Communist Party and president of the Socialist Republic of Romania.

Representatives of the workers from the capital of socialist Romania, Bucharest, gathered at the Otopeni International Airport to meet the party and state delegation from the MPR. They carried signs with slogans glorifying the friendship and cooperation between the peoples of the two countries, the state flags of the MPR and Romania, and portraits of comrades Y. Tsedenbal and N. Ceausescu. A ceremonial melody was heard in the airport.

The airplane carrying the party and state delegation led by comrade Y. Tsedenbal circled once and made a gentle landing.

Meeting the important guests at the airplane steps were Nicolae Ceausescu, general secretary of the Romanian Communist Party and president of the Socialist Republic of Romania; his wife, Elena Ceausescu, member of the RCP Central Committee Political Executive Committee and first deputy prime minister of the government of the Socialist Republic of Romania; C. Dascalescu, member of the RCP Central Committee Political Executive Committee and prime minister of the government of the Socialist Republic of Romania; and G. Radulescu, deputy chairman of the SRR State Council.

Nicolae Ceausescu presented to comrade Y. Tsedenbal and his wife, A. I. Tsedenbal-Filatova, members of an SRR party and state delegation that had come to meet the MPR party and state delegation: I. Verdec, member of the RCP Central Committee Political Executive Committee, secretary of the RCP Central Committee, and chairman of the Central Council for Social and Economic Activity; L. Fazekas,

deputy prime minister of the SRR government and chairman of the Romanian part of the Intergovernmental Romanian-Mongolian Committee for Economic, Scientific and Technical Cooperation; M. Dobrescu, candidate member of the RCP Central Committee Political Executive Committee, secretary of the RCP Central Committee and section chief of the RCP Central Committee; A. Duma, member of the RCP Central Committee and minister state secretary of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs; G. Cazan, member of the RCP Central Committee and minister state secretary; S. Curtican, member of the RCP Central Committee and section chief of the RCP Central Committee; C. Mitea, member of the RCP Central Committee, counselor to the SRR president, and editor-in-chief of the newspaper SCINTEIA; and C. Oancu, deputy minister of foreign affairs of the SRR. Also among those meeting the party and state delegation from the MPR led by comrade Y. Tsedenbal was G. Manta, member of the SRR party and state delegation, member of the RCP Central Committee, and SRR ambassador extraordinary and plenipotentiary to the MPR.

The party and state delegation from the MPR included D. Gombojab, member of the MPRP Central Committee Politburo and secretary of the MPRP Central Committee; A. I. Tsedenbal-Filatova, chairman of the Central Committee of the MPR Children's Fund; C. Suren, member of the MPRP Central Committee, deputy chairman of the MPR Council of Ministers and chairman of the Mongolian part of the Intergovernmental Mongolian-Romanian Committee for Economic, Scientific and Technical Cooperation; T. Namsray, member of the MPRP Central Committee, member of the Presidium of the MPR People's Great Hural, assistant to the general secretary of the MPRP Central Committee and section chief of the MPRP Central Committee; T. Balhajab, member of the MPRP Central Committee and section chief of the MPRP Central Committee; D. Saldan, member of the MPRP Central Committee and chairman of the MPR State Committee for Foreign Economic Relations; D. Yondon, member of the MPRP Central Committee and first deputy minister of foreign affairs of the MPR; and N. Lubsanrabdan, member of the MPRP Central Committee and MPR ambassador extraordinary and plenipotentiary to the SRR.

The chief of the honor guard reported to comrade Y. Tsedenbal and an orchestra played the national anthems of the MPR and SRR. The volleys of an artillery salute rang out. Y. Tsedenbal and N. Ceausescu reviewed the honor guard formation.

Romanian and Mongolian pioneers brought comrades Y. Tsedenbal, A. I. Tsedenbal-Filatova, N. Ceausescu and E. Ceausescu bouquets of fresh flowers.

Comrade Y. Tsedenbal greeted those who had come to meet the MPR party and state delegation--the party and state figures of the SRR, ministers, department leaders, generals and officers of the high command of the SFR armed forces.

The MPR party and state delegation greeted warmly the diplomatic staff members from the MPR embassy in the SRR and their families.

Comrade Y. Tsedenbal greeted representatives of workers from the Romanian capital who had come to the airport to meet the important guests.

Y. Tsedenbal, general secretary of the MPRP Central Committee and chairman of the Presidium of the MPR People's Great Hural; N. Ceausescu, general secretary of the RCP and president of the SRR; A. I. Tsedenbal-Filatova and E. Ceausescu got up on a specially prepared reviewing stand and the honor guard passed before them in a ceremonial march.

Then comrades Y. Tsedenbal, A. I. Tsedenbal-Filatova, N. Ceausescu and E. Ceausescu got into cars decorated with the state flags of the MPR and SRR. Accompanied by an honor escort of motorcyclists, the procession set off for the capital.

The party and state delegation from the MPR led by comrade Y. Tsedenbal was greeted enthusiastically by workers from the city of Bucharest on "Scinteia" Square.

The workers were carrying flags, balloons, and flowers. Slogans could be heard on the square glorifying the friendship of the two peoples. Young residents of Bucharest were dancing in national costumes. "Scinteia" means "spark". There is a monument on the square honoring the leader of the world proletariat, V. I. Lenin. After all, it was the spark of revolution, ignited by this great leader, that started the flame of freedom and happiness in Romania. As a symbol of this, the square was named "Scinteia".

Negotiations Held

Ulaanbaatar NOVOSTI MONGOLII in Russian 17 Jun 83 p 1

[Article by special MONTSAME correspondent: "Negotiations Begin"]

[Text] Bucharest, 14 Jun (MONTSAME) -- Negotiations began here today between the party and state delegation from the MPR, led by Y. Tsedenbal, general secretary of the MPRP Central Committee and chairman of the Presidium of the MPR People's Great Hural, that is here on an official friendly visit at the invitation of N. Ceausescu, general secretary of the RCP and president of the SRR, and the party and state delegation of the SRR, led by N. Ceausescu, general secretary of the RCP and president of the SRR.

Taking part in the negotiations, on the Mongolian side, are D. Gombojab, member of the MPRP Central Committee Politburo and secretary of the MPRP Central Committee; C. Suren, member of the MPRP Central Committee, deputy chairman of the MPR Council of Ministers and chairman of the Mongolian part of the Intergovernmental Mongolian-Romanian Committee for Economic, Scientific and Technical Cooperation; T. Namsray, member of the MPRP Central Committee, member of the Presidium of the MPR People's Great Hural, assistant to the general secretary of the MPRP Central Committee, and section chief of the MPRP Central Committee; T. Balhajab, member of the MPRP Central Committee and section chief of the MPRP Central Committee; D. Saldan, member of the MPRP Central Committee and chairman of the MPR State Committee for Foreign Economic Relations; D. Yondon, member of the MPRP Central Committee and first deputy minister of foreign affairs of the MPR; N. Lubsanrabdan, member of the MPRP Central Committee and MPR ambassador extraordinary and plenipotentiary

to the SRR; and on the Romanian side, I. Verdec, member of the RCP Central Committee Political Executive Committee and secretary of the RCP Central Committee; L. Fazekas, member of the RCP Central Committee Political Executive Committee, deputy prime minister of the SRR government, and chairman of the Romanian part of the Intergovernmental Romanian-Mongolian Committee for Economic, Scientific and Technical Cooperation; M. Dobrescu, candidate member of the RCP Central Committee Political Executive Committee and secretary of the RCP Central Committee; A. Duma, member of the RCP Central Committee and minister state secretary of the SRR Ministry of Foreign Affairs; G. Cazan, member of the RCP Central Committee and minister state secretary of the Ministry of Foreign Trade and International Economic Cooperation; S. Curtican, member of the RCP Central Committee and section chief of the RCP Central Committee; C. Mitea, member of the RCP Central Committee, counselor to the SRR president and editor-in-chief of the newspaper "Scinteia"; and G. Manta, member of the RCP Central Committee and SRR ambassador extraordinary and plenipotentiary to the MPR.

During the negotiations, comrade Y. Tsedenbal provided information on the internal situation in the MPR and the efforts of the Mongolian people to fulfill the decisions of the 18th MPRP Congress. Also touched upon were questions involving the status and prospects of friendship and cooperation between the MPR and SRR, and the satisfaction on the part of Mongolia with the successful development of relations between the two countries in the area of trade, economics, culture, science and technology.

Comrade Y. Tsedenbal stated in detail the position of the MPRP and the MPR on key problems in contemporary international relations.

Comrade N. Ceausescu told of the successes of the Romanian people in socialist construction, the efforts to put into practice the decisions of the 12th RCP Congress, the tasks for further development of productive forces, and increasing the material well-being and cultural level of the workers of the SRR.

He also noted the expanded trade and economic ties between the SRR and MPR.

Wreath-Laying Ceremony

Ulaanbaatar NOVOSTI MONGOLII in Russian 17 Jun 83 p 1

[Text] Bucharest, 17 Jun (MONTSAME) -- The party and state delegation from the MPR, led by Y. Tsedenbal, general secretary of the MPRP Central Committee and chairman of the Presidium of the MPR People's Great Hural, that is in Romania on an official friendly visit at the invitation of Nicolae Ceausescu, general secretary of the RCP and president of SRR, today laid a wreath at monument to the heroes of the struggle for freedom of the homeland and the people and for socialism, in Freedom Park in Bucharest.

An honor guard was formed for the wreath-laying ceremony and the national anthems of the two countries were played.

Delegation Leaves Moscow for Bucharest

Ulaanbaatar NOVOSTI MONGOLII in Russian 17 Jun 83 p 1

[Text] Moscow, 14 Jun (MONTSAME) -- The party and state delegation from the MPR, led by Y. Tsedenbal, general secretary of the MPRP Central Committee and chairman of the Presidium of the MPR People's Great Hural, on its way to the SRR on an official friendly visit at the invitation of Nicolae Ceausescu, general secretary of the RCP and president of the SRR, left for Bucharest today after a stop in Moscow.

The party and state delegation, led by comrade Y. Tsedenbal, was accompanied to Vnukovo Airport by M. N. Smirnovskiy, deputy section chief of the CPSU Central Committee; V. G. Vysotin, section chief of the USSR Supreme Soviet; and executives of the CPSU Central Committee, the USSR Supreme Soviet and the USSR Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

Also among those escorting the delegation were D. Gotob, MPR ambassador extraordinary and plenipotentiary to the USSR, diplomatic staff members from the Mongolian embassy, and Trayan Dudac, SRR ambassador extraordinary and plenipotentiary to the USSR.

Formal Dinner Held for MPR Delegation

Ulaanbaatar NOVOSTI MONGOLII in Russian 17 Jun 83 p 2

[Text] Bucharest, 14 Jun (MONTSAME) -- Nicolae Ceausescu, general secretary of the RCP and president of the SRR, gave a dinner today at the Palace of the State Council in honor of the party and state delegation from the MPR led by Y. Tsedenbal, general secretary of the MPRP Central Committee and chairman of the Presidium of the MPR People's Great Hural, in Romania on an official friendly visit.

Present at the dinner were members of party and state delegations from both countries, party and state figures of Romania, and other officials.

Comrades N. Ceausescu and Y. Tsedenbal exchanged speeches at the dinner.

The text of comrade N. Ceausescu's speech follows.

It is a pleasure to see you once again in Romania, respected comrade Y. Tsedenbal, and to greet you and the other comrades in the delegation from the Mongolian People's Republic on this occasion, on my own behalf, as well as in the name of the Romanian Communist Party Central Committee, the SRR State Council and Government, and to say to you, 'Welcome to our country.' We can state with satisfaction that over recent years economic collaboration and cooperation between our countries have expanded, as has interaction in the areas of science, education and culture; there are stronger contacts and exchange of experience along party and state lines and among mass and social organizations.

I believe that all the conditions exist for Romanian-Mongolian relations, which are based firmly on principles of socialism, mutual respect, complete equality and respect for national independence and sovereignty, noninterference in internal affairs, solidarity and comradely mutual assistance, to develop on into the future in all areas. The results achieved by both the Romanian people and Mongolian people in their social and economic development are providing new opportunities for constant expansion and diversification of economic, scientific, technical and cultural exchanges, and for deepening the cooperation between our parties and countries. I am convinced that in the course of the negotiations which we began today, we will find new paths and possibilities for raising the level of these relations even further for the good of both peoples, the common work of socialism and peace throughout the world.

During your visit you will be able to acquaint yourselves directly with some of the goals and achievements of the Romanian people, with their firm resolve to work, closely united around the Romanian Communist Party--the guiding political force of our people--to realize the program for creating a thoroughly developed socialist society and for advancing Romania toward communism, and with their desire to live under conditions of peace and cooperation.

Our party and state devote special attention to the development of international events, and participate actively in the constructive resolution of the major problems facing our epoch. We know that our people, like all peoples of the world, can realize their aspirations for progress and well-being only under conditions of peace and complete security. Therefore we are making every effort and cooperating closely with all peoples and the progressive forces of peace to provide strong support for policies of peace, respect for national independence, and international cooperation and detente.

Within the framework of our general policies, we devote primary attention to the constant development of relations with all socialist countries and we work persistently for strengthened unity and cooperation among them, viewing this as an essential condition for strengthening the forces of socialism and increasing its prestige and influence throughout the world. At the same time we are cultivating broad relations with developing and nonaligned countries, and in the spirit of principles of peaceful coexistence we are expanding relations in economic, scientific, technical and other areas with all countries of the world, regardless of their social system.

We believe that the fundamental issue of today is halting the arms race and moving toward disarmament, particularly nuclear disarmament. Expressing the will of the Romanian people for peace, the Socialist Republic of Romania and the Romanian Communist Party will continue in the future to make every effort to realize disarmament--a vital need of humanity--and to defend the fundamental rights of peoples, the right to life, peace, and a free and just existence.

Our country speaks out firmly in favor of putting an end to all military actions and resolving all problems between states through exclusively political means, through negotiations.

Romania actively supports the national liberation movement and the struggle of peoples against foreign domination, colonialism and neo-colonialism, and policies of racism and apartheid.

We speak out and work persistently for elimination of underdevelopment and establishment of a new world economic order, based on full equality and justice.

We are fully resolved to strengthen constantly interaction with socialist countries and with progressive and anti-imperialist forces in the struggle for security and peace and for creation of a better and more just world on our planet.

After expressing his conviction that this visit will make an important new contribution to the development of Romanian-Mongolian relations, comrade N. Ceausescu proposed a toast to strengthened friendship and cooperation between the parties, countries and peoples, to progress and the well-being of the friendly Mongolian people, and to new successes in their future endeavors.

The text of the speech given by comrade Y. Tsedenbal follows.

We are sincerely happy for the opportunity we have been given to visit the Socialist Republic of Romania and to acquaint ourselves with the life and labor successes of the fraternal Romanian people.

Allow me to express to you, respected comrade Ceausescu, to the Central Committee of the Romanian Communist Party, and to the State Council of the Socialist Republic of Romania, our deep gratitude for the kind invitation to visit your wonderful country, for the warm reception and friendly hospitality.

Allow me also to convey to the communists and all workers of the Socialist Republic of Romania the warm greetings and good wishes from Mongolian communists and from our people.

The workers of People's Mongolia have sincere feelings of friendship and solidarity for the Romanian people and are deeply gratified by their successes, achieved through their selfless labor under the guidance of their tried vanguard, the Romanian Communist Party, in close cooperation with countries of socialism. These successes of the Romanian people have made it possible for them to overcome their country's former backwardness and to enter onto the broad expanse of full-scale construction of a socialist society.

We recognize that the successes of every socialist country are inseparable from fraternal cooperation among all countries of socialism and that these successes make a contribution to our joint struggle for strengthening the economic potential and political influence of the world socialist system and for peace and universal security.

The Mongolian people are working selflessly now to put into practice the decisions of the 18th MPRP Congress and are achieving significant successes in resolving the pressing problems of the country's social and economic develop-

ment. The diverse cooperation and internationalist aid and support of the Soviet Union and other countries of socialist cooperation are playing an immense role in this work.

Our party and the MPR government are conducting an unswerving policy for strengthening friendship and cooperation with the Socialist Republic of Romania and other fraternal countries of socialism on the principles of Marxism-Leninism and socialist internationalism. We note with satisfaction that economic, scientific and technical cooperation and trade and cultural ties between our countries are developing successfully and their volume increases every year. We place high value on the fact that the Socialist Republic of Romania is providing our country with technical and economic assistance in the construction of economic and cultural-use projects.

We believe that the negotiations and discussions that were started today between our two delegations will promote further development and strengthening of relations of friendship and cooperation between the MPRP and RCP and between our countries and peoples, and will promote greater unity among countries of socialist cooperation.

Our meeting is taking place at a time when an extremely complicated situation is developing in the world. The aggressive circles of imperialism are continuing to heighten tension and intensify confrontation, and trying to achieve military superiority and break the strategic parity that has been reached. The arms race that they have unleashed has entered a qualitatively new, especially dangerous phase now, in which the risk of nuclear war has increased sharply.

We believe that under the present conditions, it is necessary, before it is too late, to stop the dangerous aggravation of the situation and to direct development along the course of eliminating the threat of war. The constructive initiatives and proposals set forth recently by the Soviet Union and other Warsaw Pact member states correspond fully to these goals. These initiatives and proposals open up a practical road toward negotiations for halting the arms race, especially the nuclear arms race, for reducing nuclear means in Europe and for relaxing international tension on this continent and throughout the world.

The Mongolian People's Republic adheres to the opinion, as do other fraternal countries of socialism, that no matter how complicated the international situation may be, it can be relieved. At the same time, it fully supports the efforts of the Soviet Union which are directed at not allowing a disruption of the current balance of forces and not giving the forces of imperialism an opportunity to violate the security of countries of world socialist cooperation.

We will continue in the future to defend tirelessly the work of peace and international security, to speak out for strengthened trust and mutual understanding among states and against the arms race and the threat of war.

Please accept our sincere wishes for good health, prosperity, and further great successes in the construction of a developed socialist society and in

realizing the decisions of the 12th Congress of the Romanian Communist Party.

In conclusion, comrade Y. Tsedenbal proposed a toast to fraternal friendship and fruitful cooperation between the two parties and countries; to the fraternal Romanian people and their further success in building a new life; to further strengthening of the unity and solidarity among countries of socialist cooperation; and to peace throughout the world.

MPR Delegation Visits Plant

Ulaanbaatar NOVOSTI MONGOLII in Russian 17 Jun 83 p 2

[Text] Bucharest, 15 Jun (MONTSAME) -- The party and state delegation from the MPR led by Y. Tsedenbal, general secretary of the MPRP Central Committee and chairman of the Presidium of the MPR People's Great Hural, here on an official friendly visit at the invitation of N. Ceausescu, general secretary of the Romanian Communist Party and president of the Socialist Republic of Romania, visited the Heavy Machinery Plant imeni "23 August".

The Plant imeni "23 August" puts out electric locomotives, diesel engines, plant furnaces, equipment for the petrochemical industry, and compression machinery; it is a large enterprise with about 19,000 workers and engineering and technical personnel.

The enterprise's workers gave a warm welcome to comrades Y. Tsedenbal, N. Ceausescu and the others accompanying them. They were carrying the state flags of the MPR and SRR, portraits of Y. Tsedenbal and N. Ceausescu, and signs with slogans in honor of the friendship between the Mongolian and Romanian peoples in both the Mongolian and Romanian languages.

B. Paul, the plant's general director, told about the enterprise and showed models of the plant's products.

Y. Tsedenbal familiarized himself with the enterprise's operations by visiting shops that produce units for electric locomotives, equipment for ferrous metallurgy, ships and compression machinery.

In each shop the guests were greeted warmly and sincerely with flowers.

Comrade Y. Tsedenbal presented the plant's collective with a copper engraving which symbolized the friendship between the Mongolian and Romanian workers, and left the following inscription in the Book of Honored Guests: "We were happy to become acquainted with the operations of the Machinery Plant imeni '23 August'--one of the links in the heavy industry of socialist Romania, where we, the party and state delegation from the MPR, were given a warm, sincere reception. I wish the workers, engineering and technical personnel, and the entire collective high labor achievements in the successful realization of the goals set by the 12th RCP Congress for building in the country a society of developed socialism, and happiness and all the best.

"Long live Mongolian-Romanian friendship! Signed, Y. Tsedenbal, head of the delegation. 15 June 1983."

Accompanying the honored guests on their visit to the plant were I. Verdec, member of the RCP Central Committee Political Executive Committee and secretary of the RCP Central Committee; L. Fazekas, member of the RCP Central Committee Political Executive Committee, deputy prime minister of the SRR Government, and chairman of the Romanian part of the Intergovernmental Romanian-Mongolian Committee for Economic, Scientific and Technical Cooperation; M. Dobrescu, candidate member of the RCP Central Committee Political Executive Committee and secretary of the RCP Central Committee; I. Avram, SRR minister of the machine building industry; and other officials.

After the visit, the MPR party and state delegation was shown two micro-rays of Bucharest--Balta Albe and Pantilmon.

MPR Delegation Visits Museum

Ulaanbaatar NOVOSTI MONGOLII in Russian 17 June 83 p 2

[Text] Bucharest, 15 Jun (MONTSAME) -- The party and state delegation from the MPR led by Y. Tsedenbal, general secretary of the MPRP Central Committee and chairman of the Presidium of the MPR People's Great Hural, here on an official friendly visit, today visited the State Historical Museum. The important guests were met there by F. Georgescu, director of the museum, who also showed them the exhibits.

Accompanying the guests on their visit to the museum were N. Ceausescu, general secretary of the RCP and president of the SRR; party and government leaders of the SRR E. Ceausescu, I. Verdec, G. Pane, L. Fazekas, S. Gyda and other officials.

Comrade Y. Tsedenbal left an inscription in the Book of Honored Guests, in which he wished the Romanian people all the best and friendship between the Mongolian and Romanian peoples.

Then the party and state delegation led by comrade Y. Tsedenbal toured the new subway system in Bucharest.

During the visits to the museum and subway, the workers of the Romanian capital met the guests with the state flags of the MPR and SRR, flowers, cries of "Hurrah!", and wishes of all the best for the Mongolian people.

Tsedenbal-Filatova Makes Separate Tour

Ulaanbaatar NOVOSTI MONGOLII in Russian 17 Jun 83 p 2

[Text] Bucharest, 15 Jun (MONTSAME) -- A. I. Tsedenbal-Filatova, chairman of the Central Committee of the MPR Children's Fund and wife of Y. Tsedenbal, general secretary of the MPRP Central Committee and chairman of the Presidium of the MPR People's Great Hural and head of a party and state delegation from the MPR that is here on an official friendly visit, visited a Bucharest art gallery, a knitted goods and sewing factory, and the Art School imeni Gheorghe Enescu.

Accompanying A. I. Tsedenbal-Filatova were Elena Ceausescu, first deputy prime minister of the SRR Government, member of the RCP Central Committee Executive Committee, and wife of N. Ceausescu, general secretary of the RCP Central Committee; and Suzana Gyda, candidate member of the RCP Central Committee Executive Committee and chairman of the SRR Council on Culture and Socialist Education.

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MONGOLIAN REVOLUTIONARY YOUTH LEAGUE ACTIVITIES

Conference Chooses Delegates to Congress

Ulaanbaatar MONTSAME in Russian 1444 GMT 15 Apr 83

[Text] Ulaanbaatar, 15 Apr (MONTSAME) -- Over 200 of the best representatives of members of the Ulaanbaatar Mongolian Revolutionary Youth League were chosen to be delegates to the upcoming 18th Congress of the Mongolian Revolutionary Youth League. The election of Congress delegates took place at the 18th Conference of the Ulaanbaatar city Mongolian Revolutionary Youth League organization, which was held today in Ulaanbaatar. Summarized at the conference were the achievements of the Mongolian Revolutionary Youth League organizations that have accomplished between the two conferences.

The first secretary of the Ulaanbaatar city committee of the Mongolian Revolutionary Youth League, T. Batsuh, gave a speech at the conference. He noted that the members of the Mongolian Revolutionary Youth League and all the young people in the capital are meeting the 18th Congress of the Mongolian Revolutionary Youth League--a major political event in the life of Mongolian youth--with great successes in labor, education, art, and sports. In the course of the 18-week outstanding work shift that has been spread throughout the country in honor of the supreme Mongolian Revolutionary Youth League forum, 50 of the city's young production workers have fulfilled their personal five-year plans, and over 1000 people have fulfilled their quotas for the first 3 years of the five-year plan, the speaker said.

Taking part in the work of the Mongolian Revolutionary Youth League conference were B. Altangerel, member of the MPRP Central Committee Politburo and first secretary of the Ulaanbaatar city committee of the MPRP; and other officials.

Rural Mongolian Revolutionary Youth League Members

Ulaanbaatar MONTSAME in Russian 1447 GMT 19 Apr 83

[Text] Ulaanbaatar, 19 Apr (MONTSAME) -- The Mongolian Revolutionary Youth League looks after the country's agriculture. Now over half of the young livestock breeders are people who have come to work in rural areas on Mongolian Revolutionary Youth League travel orders. Rural Mongolian Revolutionary Youth League members raise about 4 million head of young livestock annually. They participate actively in strengthening the material base of livestock breeding

and in the construction of warm accommodations for livestock. Young livestock breeders holding Mongolian Revolutionary Youth League travel orders, are not only doing a worthy job in continuing the work of their elders, they are also playing an immense role in strengthening the socialist way of life in rural areas and in improving the cultural level of rural residents. Many Mongolian Revolutionary Youth League members have earned the high title of Hero of Labor of the MPR for their great labor successes, and dozens have been elected deputies of the People's Great Hural--the supreme organ of state power in the MPR. In honor of the 18th Congress of the Mongolian Revolutionary Youth League, members and all the young people in Mongolian rural areas have started a key work shift under the motto, "For outstanding labor, excellence in education, high achievements in sports and art". Now the most worthy and best representatives are being elected delegates to the supreme Mongolian Revolutionary Youth League forum.

Scientific Conference

Ulaanbaatar MONTSAME in Russian 1846 GMT 20 Apr 83

[Text] Ulaanbaatar, 20 Apr (MONTSAME) -- A scientific conference dedicated to the upcoming 18th Congress of the Mongolian Revolutionary Youth League in May, was held today at the Mongolian State University. Over 40 papers were discussed at the conference, dealing with pressing problems in the natural, social, legal, and philological sciences. Young instructors and scholars from the university presented the papers.

The Mongolian State University is the leader of national higher education institutions in the MPR, and over the past 40 years of its existence it has turned into a major scientific center. Extensive scientific research is conducted here, encompassing almost every area of scientific thought, and with immense practical importance. Engaged in scientific work are not only the teaching personnel of the university, but also the students--future physicists, mathematicians, biologists, chemists, philologists, and jurists.

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MPR ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION MONTH

Ulaanbaatar MONTSAME in Russian 1856 GMT 15 Apr 83

[Text] Ulaanbaatar, 15 Apr (MONTSAME) -- The 18th MPRP Congress has set the task of turning protection of nature and the environment into a national matter. A whole series of important measures is being implemented to achieve this, Academician C. Tseren, president of the MPR Academy of Sciences and deputy chairman of the Mongolian Environmental Protection Association, announced at the opening of the traditional nature protection month.

This is the 22nd nature protection month to be held. Since the tradition was first started, extensive work has been implemented to reveal, make rational use of, and defend the country's natural riches, including animal and plant resources, forests, and mineral raw materials; and also to prevent pollution of the water, air, and soil; and to plan well-designed cities and towns. The most diverse sections of the country's population participate in the month's activities.

At the opening of the month's activities special emphasis was put on the need to improve the forms and methods of propaganda for the goals of environmental protection, and for popularization of all the leading aspects of work in the protection of nature.

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KARL MARX JUBILEE OBSERVED

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[Text] Ulaanbaatar, 15 Apr (MONTSAME) -- Karl Marx devoted his mind, talent, and entire life to the work of liberating the working class and social progress, stated D. Lhamsuren, director of the Social Sciences Institute under the MPRP Central Committee. He spoke today at the opening of a photo exhibit on the life and work of the founder of scientific communism, the brilliant thinker and leader of the world proletariat, Karl Marx. The photo exhibit, organized by the Social Sciences Institute under the MPRP Central Committee, opened today in the exhibit hall of the V. I. Lenin Museum in Ulaanbaatar.

D. Lhamsuren emphasized, "The teachings of Marx continue to have a strong influence on the development of social thought, and on the course of world development. The Mongolian people, together with the communists of the world and all progressive forces on our planet, are observing the glorious jubilee of Karl Marx and are paying a tribute of deep respect to his eternal teachings."

The photographs in the exhibit tell the story of how K. Marx, together with his loyal friend F. Engels, formed the theory of scientific communism; and they provide a memorable description of the stages of his revolutionary activities. The exposition shows that the teachings of the founders of scientific communism are being embodied practically in socialist democracy and in the peoples' struggle for peace.

Present at the ceremony opening the exhibit were J. Batmonh, member of the MPRP Central Committee Politburo and chairman of the MPR Council of Ministers; S. Jalan-aajab, member of the MPRP Central Committee Politburo and secretary of the MPRP Central Committee; T. Ragchaa, member of the MPRP Central Committee Politburo and first deputy chairman of the MPR Council of Ministers; B. Dejid, candidate member of the MPRP Central Committee Politburo and chairman of the Party Control Committee under the MPRP Central Committee; other officials; as well as the heads and members of diplomatic missions accredited in Ulaanbaatar.

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MPR SCHOLARS SUPPORT SOVIET SCHOLARS

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[Text] Ulaanbaatar, 16 Apr (MONTSAME) -- The National Committee of Mongolian Scholars issued a statement today in support of the recent appeal made by Soviet scholars to all the scholars of the world.

The scholars of the MPR fully approve and support this document of immense international significance, which contains an appeal to all people of good will, primarily scholars, to unite their efforts in the campaign for nuclear disarmament, which is the natural course by which the world's states and peoples can find genuine security, the statement says.

The military preparations of the current U.S. administration deeply disturb progressive humanity. The United States and its NATO allies are intensifying the arms race with no restraint whatever, and are pushing humanity toward a thermonuclear catastrophe. Mongolian scholars, together with all progressive forces of the world, absolutely condemn the aggressive acts of the American imperialists, and demand that the Reagan administration put an immediate end to its militaristic campaign, the statement notes.

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MPRP CENTRAL COMMITTEE ISSUES MAY DAY STATEMENT

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[Text] Ulaanbaatar, 20 Apr (MONTSAME) -- "Long live Marxism-Leninism--the eternal revolutionary international doctrine!", says the appeal published today by the Mongolian People's Revolutionary Party Central Committee in honor of the May 1 holiday.

The MPRP Central Committee sends fraternal greetings to the communist and workers' parties, and peoples of countries of socialist cooperation on the occasion of 1 May--the day of international solidarity of the workers of the world. "Let the indissoluble friendship and close cooperation among the peoples of fraternal socialist countries grow stronger." "Long live the great Soviet Union--the powerful stronghold of world socialism, the international working class, and the national liberation movement, and the lasting vanguard of peace"--so reads the appeal.

The MPRP Central Committee warmly welcomes the peaceful foreign policy and peaceful initiatives of the CPSU and the Soviet state that are directed at ending the arms race, strengthening detente, and averting the threat of a new world war. The appeals express the complete support of the Mongolian people for the new peaceful initiatives set forth in the Prague Declaration of the Warsaw Pact member states.

The document emphasizes that "The Mongolian people approve and support the just struggle of the peoples of the Soviet Union and other fraternal socialist countries, and of all peaceful forces of the world, for an end to Washington's aggressive plans to deploy American medium-range nuclear missiles in Western Europe." The appeal also contains warm greetings to the heroic people of Cuba who are defending their socialist gains against encroachments by American imperialism.

The MPRP Central Committee sends fraternal greetings to the peoples of Asia, Africa, and Latin America, who are struggling against imperialism, neocolonialism, and racial discrimination, and for social progress. "Long live proletarian internationalism--the powerful tested weapon of the international working class", the appeal states.

The MPRP Central Committee proposed a toast to the indissoluble alliance and union of the party and the people. "Glory to the working class, to the peasant cooperatives, and the working intelligentsia of the MPR, who are successfully building socialism in their country," the appeal states.

ROLE OF VOCATIONAL-TECHNICAL EDUCATION IN MPR

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[Text] Ulaanbaatar, 25 Apr (MONTSAME) -- The intensive development of the national economy, re-equipping it with complex contemporary equipment and machinery, and the more and more active participation of the MPR in the international division of labor among socialist countries, are accompanied by the need to provide extensive training of skilled personnel for the country's national economy. An important role in resolving this task is assigned to the system of specialized secondary and vocational-technical education that has been formed over the years of the people's power. Today there are dozens of technical schools and vocational-technical schools operating in the republic that graduate specialists and workers in over 100 vocations. Cooperation between Mongolia and the USSR and other socialist countries does a great deal to promote further development of the system of vocational training for young people, and to strengthen the educational, training, and material base of technical schools. Today in the MPR, with the help of the Soviet Union alone over 20 vocational-technical schools have been built. Improvement of educational and training work is aided by the close working contacts and extensive exchange of experience among Mongolian and Soviet teachers.

An effective form of educating young people without taking them away from production work is the mentor system, which has been implemented extensively at many of the republic's enterprises, and in particular at the Joint Mongolian-Soviet "Erdenet" Mining and Concentrating Combine. In recent years thousands of young men and women have gone there on Mongolian Revolutionary Youth League travel authorizations, and under the guidance of Soviet mentors, have acquired working vocations and improved their skills.

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SOVIET-MONGOLIAN WOMEN'S SEMINAR HELD

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[Text] Representatives of USSR and MPR women's organizations expressed support and approval of the foreign policies of socialist countries that are directed at providing lasting peace on earth. This was stated in a communique on the Soviet-Mongolian seminar "The Experience of Soviet State Institutions and Social Organizations in Raising the Standard of Living in Rural Areas and in the City" that was held in Moscow.

Those speaking at the meeting emphasized the timeliness of the new constructive proposals of the USSR and other socialist countries, and noted the importance of the Political Declaration adopted by the Warsaw Pact member states in Prague in January.

Members of the Mongolian delegation stated their support of the USSR's proposals for measures of trust in the Far East. The Soviet delegation noted the importance of MPR's initiatives to work out and sign a pact on mutual non-aggression and no use of force in relations among the states of Asia and the Pacific.

The seminar of Soviet and Mongolian women, dedicated to questions of the standard of living in rural areas and cities, took place in Moscow and Frunze, the capital of Soviet Kirghizia. Participating in the seminar were state and public figures, scholars, and leading workers in industry and agriculture from both countries. In the course of the meeting, they noted with great satisfaction the constant development and deepening of cooperation between the Mongolian Women's Committee and the Soviet Women's Committee.

The reports and speeches emphasized the immense role of the CPSU and the MPRP in the implementation of social programs adopted at the 26th CPSU Congress and the 18th MPRP Congress; of measures by the USSR and MPR governments directed at improving working and living conditions of women; of maternity and infant care; and in providing help to families in raising children.

The participants visited industrial and agricultural enterprises, institutions of medical and personal services; trade institutions; children's pre-school institutions; schools; and higher education institutions. The Mongolian delegation was received at the USSR Supreme Soviet. The guests were acquainted with the activities of the highest organ of state power in the USSR, and with

the basic issues in the work of the permanent commissions of the Council of the Union and the Council of Nationalities of the USSR Supreme Soviet.

A great deal of attention at the seminar was focused on the peoples' struggle for peace, and on the active participation of Soviet and Mongolian women in the women's anti-war movement. This was discussed during the closing meeting at the Soviet Women's Committee in Moscow.

The women's organizations of the USSR and the MPR are preparing for the upcoming World Assembly "For Peace and Life, and Against Nuclear War", in Prague; for the session of the Council and Bureau of the International Democratic Federation of Women in Budapest; and for other activities of the International Democratic Federation of women.

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ACTIVITIES OF MPR CHILDREN'S FUND

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[Article by A. I. Tsedenbal-Filatova, chairman of the MPR Children's Fund Central Committee, honored cultural figure of the MPR, and winner of the MPR State Prize and the Mongolian Revolutionary Youth League Prize: "Everything for the Good of the Children"]

[Text] At its 18th regular Congress, the MPRP put forth an extensive program based on the national and party concern for the younger generation. The Report of the MPRP Central Committee to the Congress states: "Not one organization, not one citizen should stand back and not participate in the noble work of raising children and protecting their health."

The party Congress outlined a whole set of measures for further expansion of the network of general education schools, boarding schools, pioneer camps, sports fields, and children's combines; the Congress approved the initiative of ministries, departments, and agricultural associations for the construction of children's institutions at the expense of their own funds and internal resources. The Third Session, Tenth Convocation of the MPR People's Great Hural discussed questions of further improvements in the educational and training work in general education secondary schools and adopted the MPR People's Education Law.

One of the graphic manifestations of the paternal concern for children on the part of the party, government, and all the people is the formation of the MPR Children's Fund.

The Children's Fund is a social organization, created through the wisdom and immense concern of the Mongolian people for tomorrow--the younger generation.

The creation of the Children's Fund was the result of our society's vital need to train and form worthy people to continue the socialist transformation of our country.

The great Lenin left us this behest: "All the best for the children". The socialist state is constantly putting Lenin's behest into practice.

A noble tradition has developed on the eve of International Children's Protection Day, to hold a national communist work-for-free Sunday under the

motto "Everything for the good of the children"; the wages earned are turned over completely to the Children's Fund Central Committee.

Over the course of the last 10 years, many collectives of industrial enterprises, economic organizations, and scientific and cultural institutions, as well as many individual citizens, have participated very actively in the work of our organization, and have made contributions to our fund.

The first steps of our fund began with the construction and complete equipping of model kindergartens. The designs of these institutions corresponded to all the contemporary demands of urban construction, and to pedagogical, sanitary, and hygiene norms. Over the years we have built 47 of these pre-school institutions. The clean, spacious accommodations, the comfortable children's furniture, contemporary equipment and interiors, instructional toys, and varied visual aids, all help effectively develop in children cognitive activity and an interest in the surrounding world; and they harmoniously develop the children's spiritual and physical possibilities.

It is pleasing to note that all the plans for the nurseries, kindergartens, combines, and other children's institutions were carried out by our planning organizations in their free time, and were presented as a gift to the Children's Fund.

In addition to this, the Children's Fund Central Committee is striving to make the model kindergartens standards for other children's projects, the construction of which is financed by the state.

The protection of the health of mothers and children is another direction of our work. A plan for a children's health complex with a 120-bed hospital and a polyclinic with a capacity for 300 children per shift, was developed and put into operation. The complex is equipped completely with first-class contemporary furniture and medical equipment.

The Children's Fund is building a maternity home in the Malayh rayon, which will provide all the services needed for mothers' health.

A great deal of work has been done to create the plan for a nursery and sanatorium with 120 places, which will be equipped with contemporary training and diagnostic equipment; and there are plans for a wading pool. In the near future construction will begin on a pre-school preventive care facility, which will be the first of its kind. With the help of the Children's Fund Central Committee, a special kindergarten for orphans has been organized. All the work conducted there is under the constant control of the Fund.

Every year the Children's Fund Central Committee holds a competition for the best kindergarten and nursery, which clearly stimulates the work of these institutions. The winners of the competition are awarded sets of children's toys, teaching materials, and technical equipment. Since the competition was started, the Central Committee has awarded medals or sets of toys to over 100 kindergartens and nurseries.

The Children's Fund assigns great importance to the physical development of children; it is one of the important components in the harmonious development of a child's personality. Every year gymnastics competitions are held among the kindergartens.

The 18th MPRP Congress and the Third Session, Tenth Convocation of the MPR People's Great Hural have set the goal of improving in every way possible the extracurricular training of children. In fulfilling these directives, the Children's Fund is constantly expanding the sphere of its construction activities, is making a concrete contribution to strengthening the base of children's extracurricular institutions, and is participating actively in improving the entire system of communist training for children and adolescents. It must be noted that the functions of the Children's Fund are varied. They include collaboration and cooperation, advisory assistance, material support, and finally, unification and coordination of the efforts of separate organizations and institutions to achieve a joint, effective resolution of some problem or other involving children's welfare.

Over the years, with the active assistance of the Children's Fund, the Palace of Young Engineers and the "Nayrandal" International Pioneer Camp have been built; the Central Children's Library was created; the Central Young Naturalists' Station was reorganized; and a new republic Pioneers' Palace, Young People's Theater, and swimming pool are being built.

Plans are being developed for various sports fields to be built in yards in residential areas and in summer home areas; and for small children's stadiums in the aymags; there is also a plan for a pioneer camp to be built outside a city. According to this plan, a pioneer camp will be built for the children of workers of the Ministry of Light and Food Industry in the Bayan-uul foothills. This has become a model plan and can be used by other institutions and departments. The special feature of this plan is that it can be varied depending on the conditions, and it takes into account the specifics of the pioneer organization, since each wing is designed for a pioneer detachment of 40 people, with a room for the leader, and with playing facilities.

The Children's Fund Central Committee devotes special attention to orphans, for whom a new boarding school has been opened in Ulaanbaatar, in conjunction with the Ministry of People's Education.

The Children's Fund is constantly improving the boarding school's material base and is constantly concerned about the upbringing of the children there. The boarding school is provided with contemporary equipment, play rooms, rooms for club activities, and for doing homework.

A special, full living routine has been developed for the children's collective. New traditions are introduced and there is a system of children's self-government based on the advanced experience of similar institutions in the Soviet Union.

At the center of attention of the Children's Fund is its concern for the special schools where children with various physical defects study. These institutions are given special attention; we supply them with textbooks,

special teaching materials, sets of writing instruments, typing devices, and technical means of instruction.

In recent years, proceeding from the demands of an overall fulfillment of the goals of educational work, our organization has expanded significantly not only the sphere of its construction activities, but is also taking on broad social training functions. The Children's Fund is participating actively in the creation of a contemporary system of extracurricular training, and is cooperating fruitfully with many ministries, departments, and institutions, depending on the scope of their activities.

All this has been aided by the decrees adopted by the MPRP Central Committee concerning questions of further improvement in the activities of the Mongolian Pioneer Organization; developing children's technical creativity and the young naturalist movement among children and young people; and improving the organization of summer vacation activities for pioneers and schoolchildren.

Especially close contacts have developed between the Children's Fund, the Mongolian Revolutionary Youth League Central Committee, and the Central Council of the Mongolian Pioneer Organization imeni D. Sukhe Bator; these organizations express sincere interest in the comprehensive improvement of communist education for children and adolescents and in strengthening its material base.

A new tradition has arisen: tenth-graders plant green plantings and then confer on the first-graders the task of caring for the plants. This is important in developing in the children a love for nature and for its protection. Also organized are a cleanliness and hygiene contest called "Moydodyr" [Wash it 'til it shines]; a military patriotic pioneer game called "Plamya" [Flame], a republic amateur arts festival for children and young people; a new year's tree; and the young engineers' rally. This is just a partial list of the important, socially significant measures conducted by the Children's Fund in conjunction with the organizations named above.

The "Nayrandal" International Pioneer Camp, which was completed in 1981, receives our special attention and concern. Now 500 children can vacation there at one time. The cooperation and mutual understanding in the management of this pioneer health resort on the part of the Mongolian Revolutionary Youth League Central Committee, the Mongolian Pioneer Organization Central Committee, and the Children's Fund Central Committee, account for the high results in the training of young citizens and organizers dedicated to public service. The camp has become the central base for training active pioneer members and workers, and it is a methodological center for the teaching methods involved in pioneer work. It is here that pioneers coming from different corners of Mongolia study to become organizers of pioneer activities, and learn the secrets of pioneer skills. The camp has become the site for conducting many important republic activities.

Here everything new and advanced in pioneer practice and methods is implemented, so that it will be accessible to every detachment and group.

Every year at the friendship camp there is an international shift. The flags of socialist countries are raised over the pioneer republic. At the detachment

there is an international friendship club, a school of international activism; and an art and sports festival is held. In the summer of 1982 an international four-class "Druzhba" [Friendship] track and field competition was held successfully at the camp.

An important task which the Children's Fund is helping to resolve is the further development of technical creativity and sports among children. In this respect the Fund is doing everything possible to stimulate development of mass forms of sports among schoolchildren and it actively supports the efforts of children to develop what are for us new sports, such as artistic and athletic gymnastics, and it presents awards to the winners of competitions in these sports.

Quite recently, in conjunction with the MPR State Committee for Physical Culture and Sports, an International Athletic Gymnastics Competition was held, which helped in the broad propaganda of this sport among Mongolian children and young people. At the same time, it is necessary to focus steady attention on children's physical development and to demonstrate concrete concern. Children are not drawn much into the sports that are new for Mongolia, and these sports do not always receive support and understanding on the part of the Committee for Physical Culture and Sports. It is necessary to take measures in the future to build sports complexes in cities and aymags. The same is true for the construction of branches of the Palace of Young Engineers in aymags.

The Children's Fund has taken the first step in this direction. Orders have already been made for plans for aymag sports complexes and branches of the Palace of Young Engineers.

The Children's Fund is also concerned about questions of further improvement in children's esthetic training and the development of amateur artistic activity among children. The republic song and dance festival that was held showed that the level of children's amateur activities is still not what it should be; and there is a clear shortage of cultural specialists trained to work with children. Here a more active position is required of the Ministry of People's Education, the Ministry of Culture, and the Central Council of Mongolian Trade Unions.

Close cooperation ties the Children's Fund with the Union of Mongolian Artists in the area of children's esthetic training.

Every year we hold a children's drawing contest--"The World through the Eyes of Children". On 1 June, Children's Protection Day, the results are announced and awards are given for the best work by young artists.

Also of immense interest was the recent contest among schoolchildren on the theme "We do not want war". The children's drawings that were sent into the contest speak eloquently of the fact that the children of Mongolia, like all the children in the world, want to live in peace and tranquility. For example, one drawing shows a little boy who drew a picture of a bomb and then crossed it out with big X's. Then the police are grabbing him roughly by the collar and dragging him away. The author of this drawing is protesting against the violence committed against children in capitalist countries. The drawings are

bright, colorful, and they leave a lasting impression. Over 2000 drawings were sent in. The best drawings received prizes from the Children's Fund.

The Children's Fund also promotes the development of children's technical creativity. At the last republic competition, many young engineers received prizes from the Children's Fund.

Contests like this help improve the esthetic training and the development of technical thinking among children, and encourage children to strive for creativity.

Another tradition has arisen: in conjunction with the Ministry of Culture an annual Arts Week is held. During this week children are acquainted with new plays and films, they listen to musical compositions, see ballet performances, and meet with figures in literature and the arts.

In celebrating its 10th anniversary, the Children's Fund organized the exhibit "Everything for the Children". On the one hand, the exhibit presents some of the results of our work; and on the other hand, it sets new tasks for state organs and social organizations in the area of improving the esthetics of life and everyday living of Mongolian children. The exhibit displays for the first time models of children's furniture, the designs of which were developed by architects, artists, engineers, and forestry specialists. One of the primary goals of the exhibit is to show parents how to organize a child's room, a corner for the schoolchild, and how to dress a child in a contemporary manner. The exhibit graphically depicts the results of the labor, talent, and creative efforts of many labor collectives, departments, institutions, and the country's creative organizations, who sincerely want the children of socialist Mongolia to have all the conditions necessary for their education, for the development of their abilities and interests, and for useful leisure time.

The exhibit also presents models of technical creativity and children's drawings, and the work of art school students. The exhibit has some specific features: a regular showing of children's clothing; a young artists' competition; a display of how to organize children's rooms; concerts; seminars for pre-school workers and parents; and an essay contest on the theme "We do not want war".

The exhibit's displays are a new indication of the concern on the part of the party and government for children. We hope that industrial enterprises will make every effort to develop the many new models of interiors, furniture, and children's clothing that are on display, and to put them into mass production with a high level of quality as soon as possible.

The exhibit is just one of the many activities of our social-educational organization. The motto of the exhibit, "Everything for the children", is deeply symbolic. Children are our future. They are the hope of every nation and country. It is the highest duty of every citizen and the sacred obligation of every organization to create all the conditions necessary for their harmonious development and happy childhood.

From the bottom of my heart, I would like to thank all the organizations, institutions, departments, collectives of industrial enterprises, state farms, agricultural associations, and individual citizens, who provide assistance, aid, and support to the Children's Fund, for the demonstration of high conscientiousness, patriotic initiative, and active participation in the work of our organization.

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REGIONAL CONFERENCE ISSUES APPEAL

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[Text] Ulaanbaatar, 28 Apr (MONTSAME) -- At the Regional Conference that ended here today, an "Appeal to All Nuclear Powers" was adopted. Below we transmit the full text of this document.

"We, the participants in the Regional Conference for Peace and Security in Asia and the Pacific, having met in the city of Ulaanbaatar, the capital of the Mongolian People's Republic, make an appeal to all powers possessing nuclear weapons to take effective steps to eliminate the threat of nuclear catastrophe that is hanging over the world. The growing danger of nuclear war directly threatens mankind's very existence and civilization.

"The primary, immediate problem of contemporary life is to avert the danger of nuclear war.

"We call on all nuclear powers, that have special responsibility for maintaining peace and security in accord with the Charter of the United Nations, to make equally persistent efforts to put an end to the continuing nuclear arms race, that is a threat to the fate of mankind and its future generations.

"We, the participants of the Regional Conference, sincerely welcome the solemn commitment made by the Soviet Union, against first use of nuclear weapons and we call on the other nuclear powers who have not yet done this, to make the same commitment. A similar step on the part of all nuclear powers would certainly make a decisive contribution to limiting and ending the arms race, to averting the threat of nuclear war, and to strengthening universal peace.

"The tragedy of the Japanese cities of Hiroshima and Nagasaki is still fresh in the memory of the peoples of Asia--and not only Asia. Residents of these cities are still suffering incredibly from the fatal consequences of this barbaric weapon. There will be no victors in a nuclear war, and no vanquished. Nuclear war is suicide for humanity.

"We believe that there is an urgent need for all nuclear powers to recognize this reality, that in our nuclear age there is no rational alternative other than peaceful coexistence. It is through dialogue and negotiations, and not

confrontation and use of force, that mutual trust and can be achieved and that cooperation among states can be developed.

"The time has come to apply all forces immediately against the nuclear arms race, and against the threat of nuclear war. This is the duty of every nuclear power. This is the duty of political and state figures. This is the duty of every person. Man needs peace, since with peace, the earth is blessed."

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BULGARIAN-MONGOLIAN COMMISSION MEETS

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[Text] Ulaanbaatar, 28 Apr (MONTSAME) -- Several days ago the 17th session of the Intergovernmental Bulgarian-Mongolian Commission for Economic, Scientific and Technical Cooperation was held in Sofia.

During the course of the session, questions were considered involving further expansion and development of economic, scientific and technical cooperation between the two countries, in particular, putting into operation a brick plant in Oborhangay aymag; reconstruction of the Darhan Sheepskin and Fur Factory; and construction of a new brick plant in the city of Altay with the help of the People's Republic of Bulgaria.

Also during the course of the session a protocol was signed on barter and payments between Bulgaria and the MPR for 1984. It stipulates further expansion of trade between the two countries. Bulgaria will supply Mongolia with equipment and spare parts for industrial projects built with its assistance, as well as food industry goods, electronic instruments, and other products. In turn, the MPR will export to Bulgaria various types of leather, meat, canned meats, rugs, and wool.

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